

2018 SDHB (Otago/Southland) Hospital Antibiogram: Gram Negative Bacteria

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Gram negative bacteria (% sensitive)	Number tested	Amoxicillin	Amoxicillin/ Clavulanate	Amoxicillin/ Clavulanate (Cystitis)	Piperacillin/ Tazobactam**	Cefalexin (cystitis)	Cefuroxime parenteral	Ceftriaxone	Ceftazidime	Cefepime	Meropenem	Gentamicin	Tobramycin	Nitrofurantoin (cystitis)	Ciprofloxacin	Cotrimoxazole	Trimethoprim (cystitis)	Fosfomycin (cystitis) **	Pivmecillinam (cystitis) **	Tetracycline
E. coli (all)	2761	53%	73%	88%	97%	92%	93%	94%			100%	96%		99%	89%	77%	76%	99%		
E. coli ESBL * (all sites)	346	0%		73%		1%		1%			100%	63%			30%	27%				
E. coli ESBL * (urine)	294	0%	46%	73%		1%					100%	65%		97%	32%	28%	26%	99%	92%	
Enterobacter spp.	185	R	R	R	70%	R	R	70%			100%	99%			97%	94%	97%			
Klebsiella spp.	405	R	87%	91%	90%	92%		94%			100%	97%			92%	92%	87%			
Citrobacter spp.*	117	R	42%	44%	91%	47%		85%			100%	97%			98%	94%	90%			
Proteus mirabilis	175	91%	98%	100%	100%	93%		96%			100%	86%			98%	93%	83%			
Morganella morganii *	81	R	R	R	100%	R		99%			100%	97%			92%	89%	70%			
P .aeruginosa	525				96%				90%		82%		94%		78%					
Serratia spp. *	119	R	7%	20%	100%			86%			99%	100%			87%	92%	76%			
Salmonella spp.*	154	92%						99%							86%	98%				
Acinetobacter spp. *	100										92%	93%	97%		94%	93%				
Haemophilus influenzae	307	68%	86%					92%							100%	71%				99%

Notes: R = intrinsic resistance. Many *Enterobacteriaceae* (other than *E.coli*) become resistant to cephalosporins if monotherapy with cephalosporins is used. "Cystitis" = uncomplicated urinary tract infections.

^{*} Community isolates included because of small numbers of hospital isolates. Testing performed using EUCAST interpretive standards

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Gram positive bacteria (% sensitive)	Number tested	Amoxicillin	Penicillin G (sensitive)	Penicillin G (Intermediate)	Flucloxacillin	Ceftriaxone	Erythromycin	Clindamycin	Gentamicin	Nitrofurantoin (cystitis)	Trimethoprim (cystitis)	Cotrimoxazole	Ciprofloxacin	Norfloxacin (cystitis)	Fusidic acid	Linezolid**	Rifampicin	Tetracycline/ Doxycycline	Vancomycin
Staphylococcus aureus	2081		9%		89%		86%	87%	97%			97%	96%		88%	100%	99%	96%	100%
S. aureus (MRSA)	205		0%		0%		67%	70%	90%			89%	86%		81%	100%	99%	90%	100%
S. lugdunensis *	157		55%		100%		97%	98%	98%			99%	100%		96%	100%		97%	
S. saprophyticus*	390									100%	93%								
S. pneumoniae*	305		77%	17%		97%	74%	82%				73%				97%		76%	100%
Enterococcus spp	444	87%								99%				85%		100%			99%
E. faecalis*	335	98%								99%				91%		100%			99%
E. faecium*	65	17%														98%			94%

Notes:

Ciprofloxacin or rifampicin should never be used as monotherapy for staphylococcal infections as resistance readily emerges.

Most erythromycin R Staphylococci will have inducible clindamycin R.

Note that 6% of *S. pneumoniae* are R to penicillin. High doses of a penicillin or cephalosporin may still be useful for infections other than meningitis (see MIC on laboratory report). For meningitis, consult the SDHB MicroGuide.

Flucloxacillin S Staphylococci are also S to 1st generation cephalosporins (eg cefazolin) and amoxicillin/clavulanate.

- * Includes community isolates because of small numbers of hospital isolates.
- ** Small numbers tested (usually <50)